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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

APPLICATION OF	)
HANNS-PETER MULLER ET AL	) ART UNIT: 4133
SERIAL NO.: 10/517,504	) EXAMINER: COURTNEY A. BROWN
FILED: AUGUST 8, 2005	) CONFIRMATION NO.: 1254
TITLE: POWDER FORMULATIONS	)

**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION**

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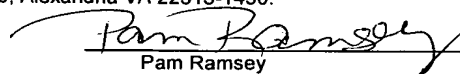
This is in response to the Office Action dated October 12, 2007. A Petition for Extension of Time to Respond to the Office Action and fee by way of authorization to charge Deposit Account No. 50-2510 accompanies this Response, bringing a response to be due on or before March 12, 2008.

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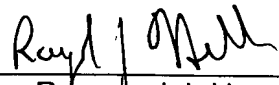
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required, Applicants elect Example 4 on Page 20 of the specification. All pending claims are believed to read on the elected invention.

Respectfully submitted,

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